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RHEUMATISM
General Alexander Dies.
Savannah, Ga.—General P. P. Alexander, Longstreet's famous artillery officer and the arbitrator appointed by Grover Cleveland to fix the boundary line between Costa Rica and Nicaragua, died at his residence on Liberty street here, aged 75 years. A wife and several children survive him.

NEW MISSISSIPPI SENATOR
Leroy Percy, Planter, Who Was Recently Made U. S. Senator.

NEW AUSTRALIAN SURVIVOR
Melbourne—The new labor ministry has been completed under the leadership of Premier Andrew Fisher, leader of the Federal parliamentary labor party, who was minister of railroads in the old ministry and minister for trade and commerce in 1910.

Das Onondago Who Was Cured.
Mr. Wilford Adams is his name, and he writes about it. "Some time ago I was confined to my bed by a severe attack of rheumatism. I used two bottles of Foley's Kidney Remedy with good effect, and the third bottle put me on my feet and resumed work as conductor on the Lexington, Ky., Street Railway. It gave me more relief than any medicine I had ever used, and it will do all you claim in cases of rheumatism." Foley's Kidney Remedy cures rheumatism by eliminating the uric acid from the blood. City Drug Co.

Explosion Mangles Sailors.
New Orleans, La.—An explosion on the steamer Wordworth, in the harbor here killed one sailor and injured half a dozen more. The vessel arrived from Hull, England, with a load of crockery. She was able to limp up to her dock.

Senate Favors Hughes.
Washington—The senate committee on judiciary authorized a favorable report on the nomination of Charles E. Hughes, of New York, to be associate justice of the supreme court of the United States, to succeed the late Associate Justice Brewer.

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Women suffering from headache, backache, pain in the side, or nervousness or any other ailment resulting from female trouble, should get Cardui and use it regularly. Cardui has been found by thousands of ladies to relieve female weakness, by restoring to health the weak womanly organs.

TRAGEDY AT NUPTIALS.
Wounded at Altar, Bridegroom Kills Father of Bride.
Houston, Texas.—As the priest was about to complete the ceremony that would have made the daughter of Stephen Pace the wife of Salvadoro Guiffo, Pace broke into the church and shot at Guiffo three times. The third bullet wounded Guiffo and, lying at the foot of the altar, he raised a gun and inflicted a wound on Pace from which he died three hours later in a hospital.

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STATE CONVENTION AT CAPITAL CITY.

Local Option, New Basis of Representation, Schools And Soldiers Approved, Home Rule Steam Rolled.

At the Democratic State Convention held on Tuesday Coffee County through its delegates did two noteworthy things; it led the fight for local self-government and fair-play in the selection of members of the State Executive Committee; and it secured the adoption of the principle of representation in the State Convention on the basis of voting strength, which will result in the giving to the Wire-Grass and other white counties their proper representation in State Conventions. Having no special strings on the machine-politics, these were two noteworthy achievements.

Practically all of the Coffee County delegation and visitors to the convention reached Montgomery on Monday morning and afternoon. Many of them attended part or all of the sessions of the State Executive Committee in the City hall, where the "fathers of the party" were tabulating the vote of state officers and hearing contests and protests; party of the delegates attended the full day Monday afternoon.

COFFEE COUNTY CAUCUS.
Monday night the Coffee delegates held a caucus in a room in Exchange hotel, those who were not delegates being invited to be present and give counsel. It was presided over by Hon. Claude Riley. Its deliberations were harmonious.

Major T. J. Carlisle, of Enterprise, was unanimously chosen as Chairman of the delegation, on the floor of the state convention, and Dr. K. W. Harrison as spokesman on the floor of the Third District Caucus, and he with Claude Riley, J. M. Garrett and L. A. Boyd were chosen as committee to work for place for Coffee on State Committee. The caucus unanimously endorsed Judge S. N. Rowe for a place on State Committee and instructed the aforementioned committee to work for his election.

The caucus instructed chairman of delegation to vote for Hon. R. Tyler Goodwyn for State Committee Chairman, and to vote for local option plank in platform, and against taking any back ward steps on the Comer railroad policies.

REFORMED REPRESENTATION.
At one of the meetings of the Coffee County Democratic Executive Committee held this spring it was requested that Coffee County's delegates to state convention offer resolution looking to fair basis of representation based on voting strength. Pursuant to this resolution the delegation voted that such resolution be offered and that J. M. Garrett and M. S. Carmichael be ordered to write it; it was also ordered that same members get as many tickets for seats for Coffee County as possible on floor of convention. They succeeded in getting all seat tickets that were needed or desired.

THIRD DISTRICT CAUCUS.
Tuesday morning at eleven o'clock the delegates of eight of the nine counties of the Third Congressional District held caucus, in the parlor of the Exchange, at which nominations were made for members State Executive Committee. Judge H. T. Benton, of Russell, presided, Bullock County delegates were absent, so that

only 68 of 78 delegates were present. J. E. Foy, of Barbour, was nominated for state committee at large from the Third District, and Judge S. N. Rowe, of Coffee, B. G. Waddell, of Russell, A. S. Steagall, of Henry, and N. P. Renfro, of Lee, were chosen members of the Committee from the Third District. While the caucus was in progress, and after quite a lot of the business had been finished, the Houston delegates left, being disgruntled at the way the thing was going. The Chairman and Secretary of the caucus prepared a certificate of the results, showing that the nominees of the caucus had received a large majority of the votes cast, and were the choice of the district, and filed the list with the committee on nominations of executive committee.

CONVENTION PROPER.
TUESDAY MORNING SESSION.
Tuesday at noon the convention was called to order by State Committee Chairman W. D. Nesbitt, who called to the chair Hon. B. G. Farmer, of Houston, the temporary chairman, and J. H. Adams, of Dale and E. W. Pettus, of Dallas, to be secretaries. Mr. Farmer made his address, which had many good things in it, but had much of it was an old, old story in it—"personal liberty—freedom from arch, etc." that freed out of every six delegates had heard so much that they could say it backwards or forwards with equal facility, or even asleep or awake. But of this other speakers missed perhaps as much as Mr. Farmer's was most noticeable, coming first, before the convention got so disordered that much of what a speaker said could not be heard. Farmer got good hearing and said his piece well.

Many resolutions were offered and referred to the committee on platform. Chairman Carlisle, of the Coffee delegation, offered the one that had been requested by the county executive committee of Coffee, and ordered drawn up by the Coffee delegation the night before. The resolution was as follows:

"Be it resolved by the democratic party, That the state executive committee is hereby instructed to make a reapportionment of representation in the state conventions of the party, upon a basis of one delegate to each 200 votes cast at last previous election for democratic nominees for governor."

As Maj. Carlisle was on the platform committee this resolution, with all that it meant in giving a vote to the white counties with their big voting strength, had a chance of at least a hearing, though there was little hope indulged in by the Coffee Counties that it would be adopted by the convention and become the policy of the party.

The temporary chairman appointed the committee on permanent organization, and it speedily reported, its report being out and dried so that no time was needed for its work. By its report James Weatherly, of Jefferson, was made permanent chairman and W. T. Sheehan, of Montgomery, permanent secretary.

Chairman Weatherly made his speech, a long set speech, very much like those of last fall.

When he had gotten well along in his speech, and many of the delegates were both hungry and thirsty, he remarked that he had already spoken too long, or words to that effect, and the convention cheered and howled, showing that it, too, thought the speech was too long.

Chairman Weatherly appointed the two committees; one to draw and present platform, and the other to report on nominations for state executive committee, and the convention at 2:30 adjourned to meet again at 4 P. M. STEAM ROLLER CRUISE HOME RULE PLANK.

When the convention re-assembled at 4 o'clock, Col. O'Neal, the nominee for governor, was escorted to the stage and received a great ovation. He spoke some twenty minutes, and his speech was an able oratorical effort and was well received. After his speech he sat on the stage during the remainder of the afternoon session.

Then the committee to report nominations of members of the State Executive Committee reported, and its report had left out two of the nominees of the District delegates, and placed others in their stead. J. M. Garrett offered a substitute to the report of the committee, it being to name as members of the state committee those persons in each district who had been elected by the delegates from such district in conformity with the time-honored plan of Alabama democrats, and in line with the doctrine of local self-government and home rule.

W. W. Callahan, of Morgan, an orator of ability, made a speech in favor of the Garrett substitute, saying that it was an outrage for committee bosses to deprive a district of home rule—that when it was done by the Comer convention four years ago there was bitter complaint, and yet now the same thing was being repeated, and more along same line. He showed that his, the Seventh District, had also been mistreated.

The convention yelled with approval at the speech of Mr. Callahan, and it looked as though the Garrett substitute would go through; but B. G. Farmer, made point of order that a substitute to a committee recommendation was out of order, and the chairman sustained the point of order, a hitherto unheard of abuse of the power of the chair.

M. S. Carmichael, of Coffee moved that the report of the committee be re-committed with instructions to the committee to bring in report of nominations made by the districts; a point of order was raised to this, but Chairman Weatherly's conscience was not quite case-hardened enough to stand for it, so he ruled the report was in order. M. S. Carmichael endeavored to get recognition to speak on his report, but the unfriendly attitude of the Chairman, who was determined that ring methods should triumph over fair play, prevented, and he ordered a vote; when demand was made for vote by counties, he ruled that it took clear majority to order roll-call record vote—another shining example of parliamentary piracy. The vote looked to the home-rule people to be in their favor, but the chair ruled otherwise.

Then vote on committee report was ordered, and a wrangle ensued as to parliamentary right to roll call vote made by Mr. Garrett, of Coffee, and the question was not voted on, though the chair ruled that it had been.

Col. Irvin, of Mobile, made motion to reconsider vote by which committee report was

adopted—said that he had been reported as one of committee in his district, but that he had first been chosen by his district delegates, and that he wished to go on record for home rule and fair play.

Then Chairman Lee Cowart of the ring committee asked to be allowed to explain committee's action, which he did amidst great confusion, and may interruptions. It was shown that other districts, besides the Third, had been mistreated, delegates interrupting to show this. Then M. S. Carmichael of Coffee succeeded in getting recognition by jumping on the stage, and he stayed on the stage some half hour or more, succeeding in having his say, which was not long, but which took a long time to say, owing to interruptions and points of order interposed by B. G. Farmer of Dothan and Peyton G. Bowman. He said, among other things, that steam roller methods were used by Gov. Comer four years ago to keep men off the committee, who were his political enemies, but this time to keep men off who were friends of Col. O'Neal. He had to stand on the floor for minutes at the time without saying a word, so great was the disorder, but the chair backed him up in his intention to tell of how the Third District was mistreated, their names ignored, and fair-play and home rule outraged. He said that he felt only sympathy for a governor who was handicapped by having one set of his friends mistreat another set; he showed how eight of the nine counties of the district had been in the caucus and that the men nominated by the caucus got over two thirds of votes cast, and had been elected if Bullock County had been represented and all its vote had gone against them. Of his speech the Birmingham Age-Herald, among other things, said:

He declared that Third district had held a caucus and nominated its members of the state committee, and with plea for local self-government, demanded that their recommendation be substituted. J. Morgan Burns of Morgan called for three cheers for local self-government, and for 200 men could not be heard unless they shouted sometimes not then."

Then John A. Rodgers made a time killing speech, to keep the delegates from voting, then—the bosses were afraid of the temper of the convention, and Rogers' speech was intended to get the delegates so tired that they would vote any way to get rid of the whole matter as quickly as possible. The vote followed Rodgers' long speech, and was by the chairman declared to have been against the motion to reconsider. Of Chairman Weatherly's method of pausing and declaring votes, the Birmingham Ledger said:

The ruling of the chairman can be summed up as follows: "All in favor of the motion say, the yeas and nays; the yeas and nays need not vote."

Of course the above is intended as a joke, but no one who attended the convention will deny that those who opposed the cut and dried slate got the smutty end of the chairman's rulings.

CHAIRMAN ELECTED.
Then R. Tyler Goodwyn was elected chairman of the Executive Committee, and the Convention adjourned to meet at 8:30 P. M.

LONG NIGHT SESSION.
When the convention began work after supper the platform committee reported; its report and the speeches on it, took the remainder of the convention's time.

Many speeches were made on

the report, and there was great disorder.

The Coffee resolution for reform of convention representation plank without change as to substance; that is to say that the Coffee County idea of having representation in conventions based on democratic voting strength, instead of population (negroes included) is in the platform. It is said that the late hour when Mr. Reese, of Dallas, made his effort to speak on that plank was the cause of the convention refusing to hear him. At any rate it did not hear him, and the most radical departure in Alabama politics, since the adoption of the constitution of 1901, was made with little trouble. The resolution was offered in the convention, and Coffee County's membership of the platform committee, Maj. T. J. Carlisle, steered it through the committee, and it is now party law; and negroes in the black belt, and republicans in North Alabama will not be heard in making up representation in future conventions in Alabama as they have always been in the past.

The convention adjourned in great disorder; no resolutions of thanks were offered, and the amenities were cheerfully disregarded from the first hour's and till the close of the convention at 1:30 o'clock Wednesday morning.

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Would Abolish "Third Degree."
Frankfort, Ky.—A bill which has passed the lower house of the assembly, will, if approved by the senate, abolish the "third degree." It prohibits the introduction as evidence of any confession or information gained by police officers through the process of "beating" men arrested for crime.

Beaten to Death By Negro.
Savannah, Ga.—Van Davis, a white man, was beaten to death at Burnside, this county, by a negro who used a heavy stick on his victim. The negro, whose name is McKelvey, escaped, and has been put on his trail to capture him. It is known he took to the river in a small boat.

Fortune Came Too Late.
Louisville, Ky.—Captain John H. McBrayer, Mexican war veteran and former famous distiller, died in straitened circumstances on the same day congress allowed his claim of \$20,000 for taxes on whiskey destroyed by fire twenty years ago.

Dr. Hyde Released on \$100,000 Bail.
Kansas City, Mo.—Attorneys for Dr. B. C. Hyde, accused of the death of Colonel John Thomas Swaps, the millionaire, and representative of the state, made an agreement for his release on \$100,000 bail.

Train Gunfired Him.
Syracuse, N. Y.—Charles Pitts, a foreman employed by a railroad at Wolcott, N. Y., committed suicide by having his neck across his trail as a freight train was approaching. His head was severed from the body.

England Lost Vast Sum.
London.—Great Britain has lost \$12,000,000 in revenue through the rejection of the budget by the House of Commons, an announcement made in the house of commons by David Lloyd-George, chancellor of the exchequer.

Taft to Address Presbyterians.
Washington.—President Taft has accepted an invitation to address the meeting of the Presbyterians held at the May 1st at Atlantic City, N. J.

Famous Mayfield Dead.
Denver, Col.—John Schaeffer, the recent billiard player, died here of tuberculosis.

POOR ORIGINAL BLEED THROUGH

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The most important question
before the world today is "how
to become a successful farmer."

The Dothan Eagle insists that
Dothan will have open saloons be-
fore long.

Gov. O'Neal didn't do any
trimming when he came to the
prohibition part of his platform.
He came right out in open court
and says he is for local option.

A negro woman, a field hand,
committed suicide in a nearby
county a few days ago. It is a
rare for a negro to suicide, and
very rare indeed for her of the
working kind to do so.

The United States spends as
much money firing salutes to tin
soldiers as it does to help the
farmers within its borders.

The money spent by our govern-
ment on ships and coal to carry
useless soldiers on senseless trips
around the world would establish
and maintain experimental farms
in every state of the Union, that
would lighten the burden and
make more pleasant the lives of
all working men.

It was kind in Gov. Comer to
call on the good people to con-
tribute to the support of the
widows and children of our latest
mine horror. It would have been
even kinder if this mine had been
inspected and the disaster prevent-
ed.

We call attention of teachers
and others, to the advertisement
in this paper of the "Summer
Review School" at Enterprise.
This school opens on the 23rd inst.,
with Prof. McNeil, principal of
of Coffee County High School, as
president, and Prof. C. H. Byrd,
supt. of education of this county
is one of faculty. This is suffi-
cient to guarantee the efficiency and
thoroughness of the course.

At a recent commencement held
at an agricultural school in
Georgia the exercises consisted of
cooking, churning, house-cleaning,
darning and sewing by the girls,
and the boys turning out black-
smith and wood work, while an
exhibition was made of what had
been grown on the farm. This
sounds mighty good to us
Sounds like the agricultural
"colleges" may grow to where
they can make a real farm.

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In the rush of other matter last
week we failed to note the fact
that The Elba Concert Band
furnished some sweet music at
commencement. The band was
there, however, and the music
was very much enjoyed by all who
heard it. The boys are making
rapid progress and are now able to
make as good music as any like
organization in this section.

For More Than Three Decades.
Foley's Honey and Tar has been
a household favorite for all ailments
of the throat, chest and
lungs. For infants and children
it is best and safest as it contains
no opiates and no harmful drugs.
None genuine but Foley's Honey
and Tar in the yellow package.
Refuse substitutes. City Drug
Co.

The democratic platform as
adopted by the convention at
Montgomery contained the follow-
ing:

1. The name is changed to
"Democratic and Conservative
party of Alabama."
2. Endorsement of the time-
honored principals of democracy
as promulgated by Jefferson.
3. Unalterable opposition to
the present high tariff laws.
4. Equal privileges and equal
treatment pledged to all home or
foreign capital, individuals and
corporations doing business in
the state.

5. We favor temperance and
sobriety as promotive of good
citizenship and good government;
but we deplore legislative at-
tempts to enforce the prohibition
of the manufacture, sale, or other
disposition of intoxicants against
the expressed wishes of the com-
munities affected, and we reaffirm
our adherence to the principle of
local option approved in the plat-
form of the party adopted in 1905,
believing that a departure in
practice from the principle then
announced was a departure from
time-honored democratic doctrine
of local self government, and was
not in furtherance of the cause of
temperance.

6. The nomination of chief
and associate justices of the su-
preme court and superintending
judge by convention. The basis
of representation in convention
to be the democratic voting
strength of the counties.

7. Just and impartial treat-
ment of the people by all public
service corporations. And that
such corporations shall give fair
and equal protection of the laws
and allowed to earn reasonable
compensation.

8. Favors the immigration of
desirable white people to Ala-
bama, and the passage of laws
that will work to that end.

9. Recommends the enactment
of efficient laws covering the
operation of mines, so as to pro-
tect the lives of miners and the
property of mine owners.

10. The support of the party
is pledged to public education,
and to the establishment and
maintenance of such schools as
will give every child in Alabama
the opportunity of acquiring a
common school education.

11. That it should be the
special care of the legislature
to make sufficient appropriations
to provide for needy confederate
soldiers and widows of the same,
and that the soldiers home be
made available to all who meet
the requirements of the same.

12. That a state highway com-
mission be created and that the
provisions of the good roads
amendment be put in force as
soon as practical.

13. That all unnecessary offi-
cers and employees of the state be
eliminated.
14. That the continued admin-
istration of public affairs of the
state by the democratic party is
necessary to the perpetuation of
a free government and the pro-
tection of the rights of the people.

School Notice.

The Coffee County School Board
will meet at Enterprise on the
25th day of June, and at Elba on
the 2nd day of July. Both meet-
ing to begin promptly at 8:30
A. M.

The purpose of these meetings
will be to pass on petitions for
change of district school lines.
Parties wishing a change of dis-
trict lines will please notice sec-
tion 1091 of the Code of 1907.

O. H. Byrd,
Supt. Ed. Coffee Co.

Chamberlain's Stomach
and Liver Tablets will clear the
stomach, sweeten the breath and
create a healthy appetite. They
promote the flow of gastric juice,
thereby inducing good digestion.
Sold by All Druggists.

LOST OR STRAYED: One
black barrow Poland China hog
of good size; black, with white
marks. Please take up and noti-
fy me.

F. P. Rainer.

\$450.00 PIANO Absolutely FREE

Here is the way the voting stands to-day, the contest
is young yet and you can get in and win if you wish

Miss Estell Butts.....38700	Miss Rosie Lee O'Neal.....32000
Miss Glennie Rowe.....359755	Miss Olive Rainer.....31880
Mrs. Minnie Lee Thomas.....58035	Miss Josie Pearce.....31035
Miss Odessa Parker.....48045	Miss Bonnie Plant.....30380
Miss Minnie Foley.....45420	Miss Gladys Stephens.....30000
Miss Alice Stark.....39065	Miss Fannie Grimes.....29725
Miss Grace Rubenstein.....38905	Miss Lacy Brunson.....29400
Miss Hilda Ross.....37105	Miss Georgia Lee.....29250
Miss Myrtle Shelby.....34925	Miss Lodie Harper.....27825

A Few Of Our Specialties.

JEWELRY Of every description.	TOILET WATERS. We are exclusive agents for the Palmer line.
CUT GLASS.	TOILET ARTICLES In General, Rubber Goods, etc.
PERFUME: Large variety of odors.	Lowney's Fine Chocolate and Bon Bons, always Fresh.

The contest is just now getting lively, you
have plenty of time to get in, or get your
friend in the race as it continues until
December 31st.

City Drug Company,

Southwest corner court square. ELBA, ALABAMA.

NOTE: Votes will be counted every ten days and standing
of contestants will be published.

A total eclipse of the moon will
occur next Monday night, begin-
ning at 10:25 and will last for an
hour. The moon will pass in the
shadow of the earth at the hour
mentioned.

A Regular Tom Boy.

Was Susie—climbing trees and
fences, jumping ditches, whittling
always getting scratches, cuts,
sprains, bruises, bumps or scalds.
But laws! Her mother just ap-
plied Bucklen's Afta Salve and
her quick. Heals everything heal-
able—Boils, Ulcers, Eczema, Old
Sores, Corns or Piles. Try it. 24c
at Harp Drug Co.

The Coffee delegates and visitors
to the State Convention included
Messrs P. T. Wise, D. W. Clark, J.
M. Donaldson, J. S. Donaldson, J. R.
Patrick, Claude Riley, C. L. Bran-
non, J. M. Garrett, A. J. Bryan, D. D.
Bryan, Flournoy Rowe, W. W. Ben-
son, C. R. Davis, Tom Law, Jr., K.
W. Harrison, J. B. Knight, O. C.
Doster, T. J. Carlisle, G. W. Stephen
and M. S. Carmichael.

Mr. Martin Polmar, of Troy,
was here yesterday.

Senator John Gamble, of Troy,
was here yesterday on business.

Those farmers who have all
their crops up are not displeased
with the dry weather. It is mak-
ing both corn and cotton get a
good deep hold in the ground, and
is enabling farmers to get their
crops entirely clean.

The splendid work of Chamber-
lain's Stomach and Liver Tablets
is daily coming to light. No
such grand remedy for liver and
bowel troubles was ever known
before. Thousands bless them
for curing constipation, sick
headache, biliousness, jaundice
and indigestion. Sold by All
Druggists.

**DONWY'S CARBOLIZED WITCH HAZEL
SALVE** For Piles, Burns, Sores.

MONEY TO BURN.

If you have Money to burn

Keep it in the house where it may be
burned, lost or stolen, but if you want to
keep it safely where it will always be
ready for you when needed: deposit it with
us. A bank account will give you a better
business standing in the community and
a prestige that you may never have en-
joyed before. If your name is not on our
books, we will be pleased to see it there
before the close of the year 1910.

The First National Bank OF ELBA.

MONEY TO LOAN. Many Thousand Dollars.

Many Thousand Dollars on Long Time and at Low Rates of
Interest on Improved Farm Lands. My Company has done business
fairly, honestly and with satisfaction to customers for many years.
I have a very desirable contract, the best to be had. Bring all your
deeds.

J. A. Carnley,
Attorney, Elba, Ala.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Watson.*

Locals-Personals

"Mound City Paints may cost
a trifle more, but—
Plant Trading Co.

Blanch Bradley is visiting
friends in Richburg this week.

Mr. John Jordan is in Dozier
painting the bank building.

Mrs. Bob King and daughter
are visiting Andalusia.

The best soda water and all
summer beverages at the City
Drug Co.

Mr. J. P. Boyd of Samson is
here visiting home folks.

A crowd of girls and boys gave
a picnic Monday at Kings eddy
to Miss Mamie Owens.

Mr. Marion Petty was visiting
friends here Sunday.

Miss Annie Laurie Bullard is
visiting her grandparents on
route no four.

Mrs. Paul and daughter,
Virginia, left Tuesday for their
home in Houston, Texas.

Misses Zatie Rowe, Sue Rainer,
Bonnie and Lucy Bullard, return-
ed home Thursday from the Jud-
son where they have been in
school.

Mr. W. D. Patrick and family
will leave Sunday to attend the
commencement in Andalusia.

Tuesday and Saturdays are
good days to trade at the City
Drug Co. The other good days are
Misses Kate and Lena Felder
will leave Sunday for Andalusia
to visit their sister, Mrs. O. L.
Tusgaard.

Dr. Allred and family went
through to Troy in an automobile
Sunday and spent the day.

A white man has been convicted
in Florence for stealing chickens
from a negro. This certainly is
the dirtiest thing the comet has
done for us yet.

Misses Esterma and Alpha
Jernigan, are visiting rela-
tives, near Victoria, this week.

Miss Elizabeth Buck left today
for Troy where she will attend
commencement exercises.

The City Drug Company's piano
contest is attracting more atten-
tion than anything that has been
pulled off in town in many
months.

We are glad to note that Mrs.
James Parker is improving rapid-
ly.

Mr. J. C. Davis and Mrs. C. R.
Davis and children, are visiting
Mr. Davis at Goshen this week.

Gladys and Pastine Rubenstein
have returned from Troy where
they have been visiting their
grandmother Mr. Mrs. Pastine.

Rev. D. P. Lee and Mr. R. M.
Wilder are in Baltimore attending
the world's convention of Sunday
School workers.

Be sure to pay our Millinery
department a visit before you
select your hats. The very latest
styles and the prices are right.
Vaughn & Kendrick

You are Invited.

To come and see my spring
millinery offerings. They are
pretty, they are stylish and be-
coming, were bought in the best
market, and they are correct in
prices. Come and look over my
lines.

Miss Debata Blocker,

A new line of clothing, boys
suits, and pants just received.
We bought them right, and it
will pay you to see them before
you buy. Vaughn & Kendrick.

ALDRICH CROWD BEATEN.

New Combination of Democrats and
Republicans.

A new combination of democrats
and progressive republicans have
taken control of the senate and adopt-
ed the long and short-hand amendment
to the railroad bill. It is predicted
they will continue to dominate the
senate while the railroad bill is under
consideration.



SENATOR ALDRICH.

The Aldrich crowd saw themselves
beaten, and to avoid the humiliation
of a public defeat, abandoned their
former position and supported the
substitute amendment offered by Sen-
ator Dixon, of Montana. This sub-
stitute was agreed upon at an open con-
ference held on the floor of the sen-
ate during a recess of one hour. It
was practically the amendment of-
fered by Governor Payne, of Ken-
tucky, democrat.

EXPLOSION KILLS THIRTY.

Seven Big Boilers Burst With Awful
Results at Canton, O.

With a roar that was heard miles
away, a battery of seven boilers at
the plant of the American Sheet and
Tinsmith Company exploded, killing
probably thirty men and injuring
about fifty. Among the injured are
a half dozen who, it is said, probably
will die.

The cause of the explosion is un-
known. The fireman and engineer,
who were in the boiler room, are
dead. No one else at the plant who
survived the accident can give an ex-
planation. One workman says he
heard three distinct explosions in
quick succession. The first of a
boiler burst. The big boiler
to be exploded was the largest in
the world. It was 100 feet long,
10 feet in diameter, and was
used for heating water for the
boilers. It was built by the
American Sheet and Tinsmith
Company, and was used for
heating water for the boilers.

Heads were blown from several
bodies. Arms and legs were torn
from the trunks. Fragments of boiler
were blown several squares from the
scene and bits of human flesh have
been picked up on porches and roofs
of houses in the town.

O'NEAL'S MAJORITY 13,030.

Lieutenant Governor Sneed, Prohibi-
tionist, Majority 10,875.

The majority of Colonel Emmet
O'Neal, local option, candidate for
governor in the state primary of
May 2, was 13,030, according to an
official count of the ballot in Mont-
gomery, Ala.

Walter D. Sneed, candidate for lieuten-
ant governor and leading prohibi-
tionist in Alabama, was nominated
for office over E. R. Perry Thomas, by
a majority of 10,875.

Senator Blankhead's majority over
Frank S. White and John R. Knox,
for United States senate, combined,
was over 20,000.

GIRL LEADS STRIKERS.

She Was First to Walk Out and
Heads Picketed About Plant.
Headed by fifteen-year-old Mattilda
Richie, the youngest train unloader
in Boston, striking shoe workers on
picket duty at the Webster avenue
shop of Bartol & Thelan, at Chelsea,
have embarrassed the firm so that
it has announced a two weeks' shut-
down of the entire plant. Despite
her extreme youth, the officers of the
union say the tiny girl picket has
been the most efficient factor in the
strike.

She was among the first to walk
out for higher wages and to volun-
teer for picket duty.

HABEAS CORPUS DENIED.

Hope For Temporary Freedom Turned
Down in Morse Case.

The United States Supreme Court
has refused to issue a writ of habeas
corpus in behalf of Charles W.
Morse, now serving a fifteen-year
sentence in the Atlanta penitentiary
for violating the Federal banking
laws.

The writ was Morse's final hope
for even temporary freedom from the
fifteen-year sentence that he is serv-
ing, except what reprieve in the mon-
ster petition being gotten up by his
wife which will be presented to Pres-
ident Taft. Clemency from the na-
tion's chief executive is the only way
left for the convicted banker to es-
cape serving his sentence.

IMPROVEMENT SALE NOW ON

AT THE New York Commission House.

We will begin soon to make improvements in
our store house and to do so we are com-
pelled to reduce our stock at once, we don't
know how do this except to cut the price, so
Mr. Price gets the knife right through his
belt and is cut just about half.

Just take Dress Goods for instance, the goods have been selling \$1.00
we will now sell for 74c; the 75c kind goes at 53c; the 50c kind is cut
to 37c, and so on down the line clear through the stock to calico, per-
cals and white goods that we now sell at less than manufacturers' cost.

Our 'ECONOMY BRAND' CLOTHING Has No Equal
Either in Price, Fit or Finish.

We bought a immense lot of this clothing and can give you a perfect
fit and they are going at reduced prices.
A \$22.00 suit for \$16.00; a \$15 for 9.87 and many cheaper. See Them

SHOES, SHOES! SHOES! SHOES!!

Low Cut Shoes. High Cut Shoes, Shoes for the old and
shoes for the young, shoes to fit any foot, all styles, all
makes, all guaranteed and all going at half price.

NEW YORK COM HOUSE.

100 N. 3rd St. Room 100 Center.

For more information see cards for Less Money.

NOTE: Don't forget to see the shoes on display done on the store
front, we can take care of you on the same terms as in the city.

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zens, Equitable, Fire Association,
Home of N. Y., Hartford, Han-
over, Georgia, Liverpool & London
& Globe, London & Lancashire,
Phoenix of Hartford, Phoenix
Assurance, New York Underwrit-
ers, Teutonia, Virginia State,
Queen and Aetna Life and Acci-
dent.

We Cover

Fire, Life, Accident, Health, Au-
tomobile, Plate Glass, Tornado,
Live Stock, Liability, Steam
Boiler and all forms of Insurance.

Intrust Your

Business to us and you will not
need to worry any more about fire

Cures Biliousness, Sick
Headache, Sour Stom-
ach, Torpid Liver and
Chronic Constipation.
Pleasant to take

Just Received.

STEERE'S

FAMOUS CANDIES.

For which we have obtained the sole agency
They are good.

For Stock

hogs, cattle, chickens, etc., we recommend
CRESO insect killers, they prevent and kill lice, fleas,
ticks, and all other vermin.

Harp Drug Co.,

Elba, Alabama.

ORINO Laxative Fruit Syrup

CITY DRUG CO. 1

POOR ORIGINAL BLEED THROUGH

HYDE FOUND GUILTY

Life Sentence Is Imposed Upon Kansas City Doctor.

JURY ON CASE SIXTY HOURS

Remarkable Trial of Dr. B. C. Hyde, Principal Defendant in the sensational Swope Murder Trial, Comes to An End.

After deliberating 60 hours, the jury in the trial of Dr. B. C. Hyde found him guilty of murdering Col. Thomas H. Swope, the millionaire philanthropist, with a sentence of life imprisonment.

This ended one of the most remarkable murder cases of a decade, in which it was charged that the doctor planned to secure the immense Swope fortune by killing off his wife's entire family with diseased germs and subtle poisons.

As the verdict of murder in the first degree was announced by the foreman of the jury, Dr. Hyde bowed his head. His wife broke into sobs and tried to rush to his arms as he stood in the dock.

Dr. Hyde is a Dane. During the reading of the verdict, which was as follows:

"We, the jury, and the defendant guilty of murder in the first degree, as charged in the indictment, and assess his punishment at imprisonment in the state penitentiary during his natural life.

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We offer you a choice selection for hot weather: the styles and values will appeal to you.

Your Feet Deserve a comfortable pair of Low Cut Shoes; we have "Walk-Over," the best men's shoe on earth, at moderate prices, the low cuts are elegant. In ladies shoes we have the celebrated "Sachs" both in shoes and oxfords.

In Dress Goods Embroideries, lace, ladies' neck wear, we are specially strong. We want you to see what we can do for you. All our stock is now—it is being steadily replenished from day to day. Stylish, well selected and cheap when values are considered are some of the things that have helped to sell these goods.

For your vacation we have a big stock Trunks, Grips and Hand Bags. Come get one now while the line is complete

We Sell Groceries Cheaper than Any One in Town.

Good Rice 20 pounds for \$1.00; White granulated sugar 17 pounds for \$1; 6,000 matches for 10c, and all other groceries at the very lowest prices.

Vaughn & Kendrick,

Wise Brothers' old stand, ELBA, ALA.

\$7.00 Elba

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Returning on any regular train in 7 days.

Visit the City of Tampa with its Largest Cigar Factories in the world.

SPECIAL EXCURSIONS will be arranged to visit the famous Manatee River country, St. Petersburg and other points on the Gulf.

See ticket agents for Pullman reservation.

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Old Sharpe William Rye, (our leader) by the gal \$3.00 4 bottles \$2.50

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Old Georgia Corn, direct from bonded warehouse, gallon 3.25, 4 bottles 3.75

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Poulet Club, a fine corn for the money, gallon 2.50 four bottles 2.00

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LOUISIANA ASSEMBLY TO MARCH ON CAPITAL.

Panama Exposition Special to Carry Fourteen Heavily Laden Caches.

New Orleans, May 22.—For the first time in the history of the United States, it is said, that a state legislature ever adjourned for the purpose of going in a body to Washington to appear in connection with any measure in congress.

The Louisiana general assembly will take practically a week's recess next Tuesday to journey to the national capital in the interest of the proposed world's Panama exposition to be held in New Orleans in 1915.

The governor, lieutenant governor, other state officials and city officials of New Orleans will likewise be in the delegation.

The "Panama exposition special," which name will be prominently disposed on each of the fourteen coaches that are to make up the train, will be the longest passenger train ever run out of New Orleans.

Commander Julius A. Pratt Post No. 143, Dpt. 111, G. A. R.

Mr. Isaac Cook, Commander of above Post, Kewanee, Ill., writes:

"For a long time I was bothered with backache and pains across my kidneys. About two months ago I started taking Foley Kidney Pills and soon saw they were doing just as claimed. I kept on taking them and now I am free from backache and the painful bladder misery is all gone. I like Foley Kidney Pills so well that I have told many of my friends and comrades about them and shall recommend them at every opportunity. City Drug Co.

Watch For The Comet.

The Red Dragon of the sky. Watch the children for spring coughs and colds. Careful mothers keep Foley's Honey and Tar in the house. It is the best and safest prevention and cure for croup where the need is urgent and immediate relief a vital necessity. Its prompt use has saved many little lives. Contains no opiates or harmful drugs. Renew substitutes. City Drug Co.

Charged With Killing Three White Women.

Savannah, Ga., May 22.—The Otham County Superior Court will this week begin the trial of J. H. Hunter, W. H. Walls, white men, and John Cook, a negro, in an effort to solve the mystery of the murder of three white women here last December. One of the women was the wife of Hunter and it is for this particular murder that the three men will be placed on trial. Circumstantial evidence alone connects the white men with the crime.

The Clipper has, from time to time, had a good deal to say of trading at home. Of giving home products and home merchants the benefit home trade. It is a question of vital importance to the growth and prosperity of our town and country—one that is of direct interest to every citizen. Money spent here circulates here, and helps every resident to make a living; money that is sent to distant concerns is gone never to return, and cannot possibly be of any benefit to any of us. Trade at home, you cannot possibly lose by doing so, and you cannot be classed as the most desirable citizen, if you do not do this.

Is patient, even with a nagging wife, for he knows she needs help. She may be so nervous and run-down in health that trifles annoy her. If she is melancholy, excited, troubled with loss of appetite, sleeplessness, constipation or fainting and dizzy spells. She needs Electric Bitters—the most wonderful remedy for ailing women. Thousands of sufferers from female troubles, nervous troubles, backache and weak kidneys have used them and become healthy and happy. Try them. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by Hap. Drug Co.

Canal Digging Is Much Delayed.

Washington, May 21.—The canal diggers on the isthmus are having trouble, principally owing to the unprecedented rainfall, which has loosened the soil and interfered with engineering operations. At one place, about a mile north of Empire, an old canal, dug by

the French, broke through the banks into the new cut, flooding seven steam shovels and raising the water 55 feet above sea level. It became necessary to construct a giant flume of timber to divert the water of the old canal before operations could be resumed.

In another case, what are known as the "toes of the west section of Gatun dam," have been sliding in and washed away the trestles and notwithstanding the greatest efforts on the part of the engineers, 10,000 to 15,000 cubic yards of material disappeared almost instantaneously into a great hole that had been washed under the corners of the dam. However, pile drivers were set to work at once and the gap was closed within a week, so that there has been no serious interruption in the work.

Great progress is being made in the construction of the mammoth locks at Gatun, according to the canal record, and 16.7 per cent of the concrete has been placed.

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FOUR ATTEMPTS TO KILL SELF.

Houston County Farmer Afraid of Comet.

Cottonwood, May 21.—With his mind preying on the approach of Halle's comet, coupled with a belief that he had sinned against the Holy Ghost, and that the Lord had sent the comet to destroy him, W. J. Lord, a prominent farmer, attempted suicide four times at his home, four miles north of here.

Lord is a leader of the Christian Scientists of this section and is a strict adherent to their doctrines. He believed that it was God's will that he die, and believing that it was uncertain about the destruction of the world by the comet, he took means that in the ordinary course of things would have proven sure death.

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City Clerk's Report.

Report of the Financial Condition of the Town of Elba, From Oct. 7th 1909 to May 7th 1910.

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As follows:

Balance in treasury \$27.43

Adv. taxes collected \$205.94

St. taxes collected \$72.00

Dog taxes \$10.00

Priv. license \$202.40

Water rents \$612.50

Fines and forfeitures \$112.50

Total receipts \$552.79

Sal. Mayor, Clerk, Police and Water Supt. \$80.00

Fuel for Water Wks. \$49.70

Incidental expenses \$47.91

St. Work \$70.35

Material for streets \$89.70

Public school \$36.20

Office expenses \$3.00

Gen. expense \$108.92